Town Common Beautification Committee Meeting – DRAFT Community Development Department, 3 N. Lowell Rd, Windham NH Monday, October 23, 2023

Present: Peter Griffin, Siri Wilbur, Frank Farmer, Kathleen DiFrusica, Recreation Director Cheryl Haas, Selectmen Liaison Mark Samsel.

Also Present: Lise McNaughton from LM Land Design LLC & Diane Carpenter (Windham Endowment)

This meeting is a follow-up to finalize the plan that was presented by Lise McNaughton. Lise briefly went over the design changes from the initial meeting. Lise distributed a plant list as well.

Diane Carpenter, on behalf of the Endowment, reported that the Endowment does have a fund set aside for the Town Common Beautification project and their intent is to give a financial gift to the Town for this.

Irrigation discussion

- Mark Samsel spoke with Dennis Senibaldi, General Services Director
- We are able to tap into the Bartley House and not pursue a new well
- The water would have to be labelled and say 'non-potable.'
- Two things to find out: number of gallons per minute and cost of a spicket.
- The consensus was to not have irrigation for the lawn

Next Steps:

- Siri, Kathleen, and Mark to review the plantings one final time
- Get the final plant list and plan to Cheryl to get RFP's
- Waiting for the Electrical cost
- Speak with Dennis Senibaldi regarding the water/spickets

The meeting adjourned at 2:36pm.

Respectfully submitted:

Cheryl Haas
Parks and Recreation Director